

4 Correct the sentences:-

- a) Faheem was wearing glasses when he was younger, but now he has contact lenses.
- b) Salwa took her test driving test five times so far without success, but she didn't give up.
- c) Sir Aghar Afzal has been reading a novel for five days.
- d. The price of onions has come down.
- e. He is saying that he is suffering from fever.

5 Punctuate

The Hodja always wanted to learn something new and one day he had a sudden inspiration to learn how to play the lute. He approached a music teacher and asked him, "How much do you charge for private lute lessons?" "Three silver pieces for the first month. After that, one silver piece a month." "Oh! great!" exclaimed Hodja, "Then I'll start with the second month."

5. B. Prepositions.

- 1) He is addicted to smoking.
- 2) I am waiting at the bus stop.
- 3) I'd rather be single than in a bad relationship.
- 4) We've put a lot of effort in this project.
- 5) He resigned to this job.

Q.6 Pair of words.

Affections: Parents' affection towards their children is natural.

Affectation: The affectation in which he does his office work is professional.

Dual: US citizens have dual identity, one of which is of United States and the other of the state within US.

Duel: Both the rivals came in duel with each other to fight.

Eminent: His ambition for US was eminent from his hard work.

Imminent: The imminent threat of cyclone biparjy made the inhabitants to migrate to nearby areas.

Famous - ^{Alfred} Nobel was famous for his discoveries of radioactivity.

Notorious:- Some of our politicians are notorious for corruption.

Bow - The bow of the mango tree was full of mangoes.

Bow - Mughal King Akbar forced his subjects to bow before him as if he was ~~divine~~ of divine powers.

Q.6. B:- direct \rightarrow indirect.

Maggie asked Tom how much money had he given for the rabbit. Tom replied that he had given five shillings and six pence. Maggie told him that she thought she had got more than that in her box upstairs ~~and~~. She further told him that she will ask her mother to give them to him. Tom ^{asked the reason and} told her that he didn't want her money and he had ~~got~~ more money. Maggie ~~he~~ told him that because she wanted to buy some more rabbits.

Q.7:-

A student's life duty is to have deep affiliation with teachers and books which could lighten up for him the dark passages of life. Such a duty needs focus and consistency. Every external effect which is contradictory to it, must be strictly separated from the circle of education otherwise the learnings of the student might be threatened at risk of staying incomplete and the precious time that must be spent on seeking knowledge would be wasted in the chaotic interests of political activities.

More than political agents, our country needs scholars and teachers who could who at once are package of oriental, western, religious and worldly knowledge.

It is obvious that such multi-people are produced only educational activities are not interfered by political factors. It is said that our educational standard is lowest as compared to western countries which is to some extent a result of our economic situations ~~and~~ But even this fact is not base of truth that our teachers have failed to ^{lighten up} ~~bring~~ the passion for knowledge.

Causes of the growing issue of beggary in India and their solutions.

The writer talks about the increasing number of beggary as a profession in India, so much that the foreigners who come to India call specially Varanasi as 'city of beggars' instead of 'city of pilgrimage'. He focuses on its causes, their conditions and effects on society.

The foremost cause being religious that Indians give alms for salvation in the next world and thus are exploited by the beggars. Then some of them has the profession of beggary as hereditary one whom the writer feels ^{to be} least who despite able bodies wear professionally colored cloth go from home to home for begging and they are seen everywhere since ages.

The ignorant people afraid of the deity that emanate from their mouth give them more than their need. So, in strangely enough

considerable number of them are richer. Then we compare India's condition to western countries where ~~time~~ it is considered crime as the protest that food must be earned through hard work. Even in India now it is being taken as an issue to solve. However

the writer calls the reformers to address the issue there as ingrained in social conscience instead of targeting first ^{the} poverty, unemployment and increase in population. In fact, Moreover the state must put in practice strict laws alongwith

course of the preceding lesson
of the nature of India and their

individuals changing their thinking.
Then he alludes to the sophisticated
well suited beggars who exploit widows through
other means. subtler ways.

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have overwhelmed our minds.

3) The author ^{refers to} ~~quites~~ Thoreau who said that 'we have more and more ways to communicate but less and less to say'. Thus the author refers to the business of life where ~~we~~ we have struggled a lot to create these opportunities of quick and easy communication but the same age has made us so ~~to~~ much that we cannot avail these time to use these communication services to connect with our loved ones.

4) People are turning towards old age facts such as yoga, meditation or tai chi, even not for religious purpose but to connect with the wisdom of old age. due to the series of tests which prove such practices involves greater attentiveness, stronger memory and improved cognition, making brain calmer and sharper.

5) Modern man is unable to empathise with others due to the reason that ~~we~~ ^{he is} are ~~too~~ indulged in machine and screen life so much that he has ~~forget~~ gone away from the rural settings of natural environment where mind strengthening practices were part of life. Thus his neural presence have slowed down due to which deep thoughts and empathy has ~~on~~ ^{on} way to ~~vanish~~.

in the hearts of the students. However a greater part of this responsibility must be put on students.

Q.3 Pre's Comprehension:-

1) According to the author, there is going to be a scarcity of freedom for the children of tomorrow. As Meluhon¹⁰⁰ warned "when things come at you very fast, naturally you lose touch with yourself" the speed at which the time saving devices have entered in our lives, the future child is going to crave for freedom from the blinking machines, streaming the videos and scrolling headlines will catch him in the paradox of feeling empty and too full at once. ~~from~~

2) Due to the constant inflow of data we are left with lesser time and attention to give to every snippet. The data floods in on us depriving us of the ability to sift through the data and give attention to those things which we are really in need of. Such as there are constant breaking news, friends are pasting images and ~~our~~ some one or the other is calling us for some important issue. ~~The~~